

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

DEC 16 2005

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
Ronald J. Gagnon, et al

Attorney Docket No.  
9-13528-102US

Serial No: 09/552,593

Group Art Unit: 2665

Filed: 19/04/2000

Examiner: PHILPOTT, Justin M.

For: Hyper-Concatenation Across Independent Pointer Processors

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA  
22313-1450 U.S.A.

Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2005, the one-month-extended period for response being December 30, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.